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**WRECKED IN THE AIR.**  
A Terrific Ballooning Experience of  
Recent Occurrence.

The Berlin Vossische Zeitung publishes parables of the week of the balloon Jupiter. M. Bismarck, one of the characters, says:

"When we had risen 550 yards above the ground, the wind began to blow more strongly, and the clouds began to thicken; clouds that we could distinguish nothing. Suddenly the Jupiter tilted on one side and the car leaped into the air. At the same time we were struck by a violent rain. We were driven forward with bewildering speed. In our fright, we threw out everything that was in our hands came across. The balloons were torn, and the ropes were cut. The car passed through the clouds and fell into the water. We were under a clear sky, in the light of the setting sun. Gradually it grew colder and colder, and our hands were frozen. The clouds were torn, and the water was boiling. We fell falling to the bottom of the sea, and we others were not much better off. We were all bleeding, and the hull had wounded us. As I lay on the bottom, I saw a large black cloud moving from the south to the north-west. But we still rose. Then I saw nothing more. The blood was streaming from my nose and ears. My hands were frozen hard as ice."

"In a few minutes we had risen to a height of nearly 5,000 yards. Then we began to slack, at first slowly, then rapidly. All at once we were stopped. The balloon had risen to the top of the mountain range and was in the midst of thunder-clouds. Again, amid hail and rain, the wind drove the Jupiter on at a speed of 90 miles an hour. We were blown by the hail and could scarcely keep our heads down. The rain was reaching the earth as fast. The hail and rain now began to be mixed with leaves and particles of earth. The car was violently shaken, and we fell against each other, and had to hold on to the ropes. The rain began to drizzle along the ground. The balloon suddenly rose again. I let my rope go, and was dashed to the ground. Legrand believed that he had broken his leg, and he jumped after me, and fell near me with a broken leg. This lightened of weight the balloon rose more rapidly. Rushing through the trees, we went on about six miles in the direction of the mountain range. On top of a tree Foucault tried to land, caught a rope, but was thrown violently to the earth. A woman saw the balloon hanging in the trees and called out to her in French for assistance. Foucault was now covered with mud and ice, his face all torn. He still breathed. When his head was raised with the intention of giving him stimulants, he fell back with a convulsion and soon expired.

"As he was carried away a weak voice was heard calling from the car for help. Two ladders were brought up, and together, and a gendarme climbed up to the car. He waited an hour to get him down. On reaching the ground he fainted away. He was cold as ice, and only regained his senses after continued rubbing. In a few hours he was out of danger.

Some Newly Coined Maxims Worth Remembering.

Silence goes a good ways with some folks; if a fool keeps still long enough he may be mistaken for a wise man.

There is more danger in being deceived by those whom we love than by those whom we distrust.

He is truly generous who bestows a favor as if it were a favor to bestow it.

He who has to obey nobody is the unhappy profligate whom everybody will own at last.

There are people who have so many kinds of temper that if you scratch at one the rest will go off.

Although a vain woman may parade in all kinds of feathers, the moths will get into her wings sooner or later.

Lies should carry memoranda pages inside their coat sleeves.

Every brave man is humane; no one but a coward is cruel.

Make peace with an enemy if you have to be friends.—N. Y. Recorder.

**A Child's Theology.**


The story is told of the most popular of American novelists, who has just passed away, that she taught her little boy that anger is sinful, and that the proper remedy to her question: "Why then, mamma, does the Bible say so often that God was angry?" As mothers do too often, she evaded the question by telling him he would understand it when he was older. This did not satisfy the child, and after pondering seriously for awhile, he burst out: "Oh, mamma, I have found it! God is angry because God is not a Christian."—N. Y. Independent.

**That's the Question.**

The first question the Arctic discoverer asked himself on arriving at the north pole is: "Who in thunder going to discover me?"—Atlanta constitution.

"Every season, from the time I was two years old, I suffered severely from erysipelas, which was growing worse until my hands were almost useless. The bones softened so that they would bend, and some of my fingers are now crooked because of this cause. On my right hand I carry large scars, which, but for



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**New Statement Served.**

The new statement which the Federal Reserve Board has recently served upon the silver dollar coins authorized by law as the legal currency of the United States is a part of the 50-cent currency program which was approved by Congress last year. It is a refusal to take it (unless he has made a full contract beforehand) as a full dollar coin in payment for merchandise or other goods.

To be sure, it contains silver bullion worth at present market price, measured by gold, 53 cents only. The silver dollar is worth more than 60-day currency—since this amount of silver to make silver bullion worth less than 50 cents.

What the silver movement—embracing the silver dollar—has proposed now proposes is to make that silver dollar worth 100 cents—to restore our silver dollar to the position and value it had before the war.

It is disallowed to make the silver dollar coin which every wage-earner's money is compelled to take and use fully equal to the gold dollar. Under the present law contracts can be made and are made by capitalists, by railroads, by banks, by business men, by governments, by labor unions, by payments in gold; and so deprecating the silver dollar. The government itself discriminates against the silver dollar by paying its bills in gold only. In this way silver is depressed.

At the same time the double duty put upon the silver dollar makes it impossible for the markets of the world. Here again another phase of the 50-cent currency program is in the expression of bullion—silver bullion—worth more than 60-day currency—a distorted standard, a shortened yardstick, a weighted scale. Make your money honest and deal honestly by making the silver dollar worth 100 cents. It will not be in anyone's 50-cent dollar.

It is the money lender of Europe and America who wants to keep the silver dollar to perpetuate a dishonest dollar. He wants dishonesty and will restore the silver dollar, both for purchasing and delay-paying. It has started a movement which will steadily roll around the globe until it reaches the point where the population as a measure of value and reward silver as a universally-accredited medium of ultimate redemption. A little while longer and exactions in exchange will sweep away the fallacies about the 50-cent dollar and disclose where the dishonest lies.—Western

### How the Goldites Demonstrate Their In-


capacity to support their claims. The authors of the book are aware of the potential of a fair and honest debate to state your adversary's position and meet it candidly with such arguments as you can muster on your side of the case. To do otherwise is to invite the other side to charge that you are either too "incompetent or too dishonest" to make a fair and honest case. The financial question cannot be avoided, and the argumentation must be made in a way that does not invite by misstatement. When the authors of gold nonmonetarism assert that air pollution is impermissible and the question of proof, how do you answer? They say, "I don't know." But you can predict a panic can no more be expected than the man who stands on the corner and predicts a rain. The author of monetarism, on the other hand, can never be accurately foretold. That is left to Deity. The gold standard is a standard that the proposed change in standards would be a change, but though standards have been changed many times in the past can be changed again. The proposed change which has been used a panic. The gold standard is a standard which has small bands go up. The silver money of France and the gold money of the United States countries at par, although the metallic value has fallen nearly half. There could be neither rhyme nor reason in the gold standard. The gold standard probabilities are entirely against such an assumption as that the silver of the world would fall in upon us.—Memphis Commercial Appeal, 1934.

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WE DEMAND the free and untimed coinage of both gold and silver at the present legal ratio of 16 to 1, without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation. We demand that the standard silver dollar shall be a full legal tender equally with gold for all debts, public and private.—Democratic National Platform, 1896.

Free coinage means that silver and gold bullion shall be coined without charge by the United States mints.

Unlimited coinage means that all gold and all the silver present in the United States mints shall be coined into money.

The ratio of 16 to 1 means that the silver grains of pure silver in a number shall be sixteen times the gold grains of pure gold.

By a full coinage, when a debtor owes a man that silver to a creditor, either gold or silver, the creditor is to sum what the same and discharge to accept from the liability of the debtor.

Mr. Bryan was formally nominated Tuesday of his nomination by silver party. He met the committee at his house in Lincoln, Nebraska.

Alabama 50,000, Tennessee 27,000 and Arkansas 70,000 have started the ball rolling toward silver restoration. Vermont and Maine together are not equal to the smallest of these three. The dog will wag the tail this time.

Two more veronians fell from parachutes this week. One was killed and the other badly hurt. This makes five fatal accidents in half as many weeks. Ballooning is getting to be about as dangerous as sailing a man a liar in Kentucky.

Abie bodied negro men were being told on the streets of Hopkinsville one week, claiming that they were dashed to pieces and had money to fatal ball.

With charges, Elvira Sydnor, wife of a Louisiana female coroner, told her drummers in the city of New Orleans for silver by the day.

WINTERS' statements are as follows: A. H. H. is a rising sun and a rising sun is a rising sun. A. H. H. is a rising sun and a rising sun is a rising sun.

The Waterson club, the leading Democratic club of Louisville, at a meeting Tuesday night, endorsed Bryan and Sewall and Brown for Congress in the following strong language:

"Resolved, That the Waterson club hereby heartily affirms, ratifies and endorses said nominations and pledges its best efforts to secure the election of said nominees."

The goldbug members are doing some tall kicking and threaten to bolt the endorsement. The Louisville Democrats are making a game fight and deserve success whether they win or not.

Fusion arrangements have already been entered into between Democrats and Populists on the electoral tickets in California, Colorado, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Washington, Wisconsin and Wyoming. The same is likely to be done in Kentucky, New York, Pennsylvania and West Virginia, Connecticut, Delaware, New Hampshire, New Jersey and South Carolina will have no Populist tickets. In all other States not mentioned above there will be separate tickets.

One of the new school books placed on the market this year by the American Book Company is a History of Kentucky by Elizabeth Shelby Kinkead. It contains about 800 pages and in the preparation of the book an attempt has been made to relate the events of practical every day life, in such a manner as to make the study of history a pleasure to the pupil. Our thanks are due the publishers for a copy.

Four Republicans of State reputation, two of them judges of the Court of Appeals, according to reliable reports, are ready to declare themselves for Bryan and Sewall on the free silver issue. They are Judges George DuRelle and B. L. D. Guffy and Lawyers David W. Fairleigh and Matt O'Dorothy. Hopkinsville has some of the same sort.

It was scarcely necessary for Vice President Stevenson to announce that he will support the Democratic ticket. Like the true and faithful Democrat he has always been, he is ready to do his duty to his party, and stands like an oasis of loyalty in the desert of treachery that characterizes the present administration at Washington.

A negro orator at the court house Saturday night declared:

"There are two kinds of dimmercrats this year—one kind is fighting us and the other kind is helping us. The dimmercrat that's helping McKinley is all right and if we treat him right he may come over and be one of us."

"The State election in Maine next Monday will be the last to be held prior to Nov. 3. The Democrats are not claiming the State, but they are putting up a fight and expect to hold the Republican majority down to its normal figure of 28,000 and may reduce it to some extent."

Gov. Bradley has ordered special elections to choose successors to Sen. Landis and Representative era, in this county. The Democratic committee should take steps at once for to-day to make nominations for a positions. This is a great year.

Jose R. Olin, a member of the Populist California, has been endorsed as the Populist candidate for the Senate by the Populist party in this county. Sen. Grant's nomination means Democratic nominee. So for the Senator Hill is one of the delegates from Albany, N. Y., to the state convention, instructed to support Bryan and Sewall and a free silver resolution.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The Courier-Journal, published by In its daily issues, contains the following editorial on the Democratic ticket:

"1. That the Democratic ticket is the only one which has prevailed in the history of this country, and which has carried the United States and in Europe, the effect of advancing the cause of gold about 40 per cent."

"2. That this has been accomplished by depressing the value of the other property to that extent."

"3. That about 40 per cent of the property and producing resources of the people have thus been transferred to a comparatively small class of men whose stock of trade is gold investments."

"4. That in the exact proportion as gold has risen the burden of debt and taxation has increased, and that in proportion as property and labor have declined the capacity of the people to pay their debts and taxes has diminished."

"5. That the silver discount is creating a bonus of more than 30 per cent in favor of the farm productions of India and Asia, which to that extent cheapens wheat, cotton and various other products of the United States."

"6. That these lamentable conditions have been produced by anti-silver legislation."

"7. That they can be undone and prosperity restored by pro-silver legislation."

"If any newspaper in New York or Boston or Chicago or Philadelphia or St. Louis or Cincinnati or New Orleans can successfully controvert either of these propositions, it will render the public valuable service by doing so at once."

"If they cannot controvert either of these propositions they are obviously conniving at a gigantic fraud and wrong which cannot exist with any degree of propriety."

Sam Jones is out in a letter threatening to take the stump in Georgia unless all the parties unite in a demand to purify the ballot. Will the gentleman accept an amendment to include the pulp in his motion?

Gen. Jno. C. Black has declined the Democratic nomination for Governor of Illinois, giving as a reason that investigation has shown him that he would have no chance of election.

Ex-Senator Henry B. Payne, of standard oil fame, died at Cleveland, Ohio, Wednesday. He was 86 years old and leaves an estate of many millions.

Charlie Wheeler met Thomas, the Republican nominee for Congress, in Cadiz Monday, and did not leave a greasy spot of him.

There are 2,000 colored voters in Lexington and Fayette county and 150 of them have joined the Free Silver Club in Lexington.

Mr. Bryan will speak in Memphis Monday morning morning Oct. 5, and in Nashville at night on the same date.

Mr. Bryan's formal letter of acceptance was published Wednesday.

Registration Oct. 6.

The Regular Registration of voters in Hopkinsville will be held Tuesday Oct. 6, from 7 a. m. till 9 p. m.

John Astor Spies, the twenty-year-old son of a Louisville blacksmith, shot a bullet into his brain with suicidal intent. Despondency from ill-health is given as the cause.

Postmaster Hamilton, of Lancaster, shot and killed a negro named Jim Knox.

Successors to four Republicans and three Democrats—three senators and four representatives—are to be elected in November.

A colored free silver club has been organized at Lexington.

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Circuit Judge Black, sitting in Paducah, has decided that the law against the selling of liquor on Sunday is unconstitutional, on the ground that it discriminates between classes. The case will be taken to the Court of Appeals.

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\$150 Boys' black Call shoes worth \$2.00

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\$125 Children's black and tan Kids well worth \$1.75  
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\$150 Boys' Tan shoes, pid toe, worth \$2.00

**HATS.**  
\$150 Men's light color Alpines, last season shape, worth \$3.00  
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\$175 Men's black Stiff hats, late style, worth \$2.50

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Condition of Crops and Stock September 1, 1896.

The report for September consists of replies from 146 correspondents, representing 101 counties.

## CORN.

"The corn crop is matured, with late crops materially damaged by late drouth. Late corn will be not only deficient in quantity, but inferior in quality. Much of it is injured on cob, a feature that many attribute to injury from 'chinch bug.' This insect is reported as still present in great numbers.

Corn cutting is now well under way, and with the drying conditions now prevailing, will be complete in three to five weeks in advance of the usual period. On the whole the crop may be set down as decidedly short of crop of 1895, this too, in the face of the fact that a number of counties report the best crop ever raised. Answers to question 'Normal yield per acre' give an average of 29 bushels, while the answers to question 'Yield per acre indicated' give an average of 31 bushels per acre.

## TOBACCO.

It is estimated that three-fourths of the tobacco crop was housed prior to September 1st. The remarkable features are the early housing of the crop and the unanimity of reports of damage by worms. The crop is reported fine in the counties between Louisville and Cincinnati, and south of this as far as Fayette, but, with exception, the damage reported from worms, hot and dry weather is appalling. In only the counties of Grant, Greenup, Madison, Pendleton, Robertson and Carroll is there no mention of damage to crop, while in many of the tobacco growing counties the loss is estimated at two-thirds. Replies to question 'Yield per acre now indicated' give an average of 788 pounds per acre.

## HEMP.

The hemp crop was mainly cut prior to September 1. The fibre is reported of good length, though there is some complaint of it being 'raggy.'

## PASTURES.

Pastures in the west and south central sections show the effect of the hot, dry weather that prevailed during the month. In some counties the change from an usually exuberant growth to a dry and parched condition in so short a time is quite phenomenal. However, a good general average condition is shown in the percentage, being 94.

## LIVE STOCK.

A large majority of correspondents report live stock in excellent condition. There is a notable absence this month of complaints of annoyance from flies. Less than the usual amount of hog cholera is reported. Cattle are scarce, the supply of that class called 'feeders' is short of a demand, and, as compared with the average year, is 82 per cent. The production of horses and mules has fallen off until the percentage of horses and mules foals this year, is but 60 and 55 per cent respectively.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

The season has been most favorable of late to fall plowing. The amount of land plowed is an average 94, as compared with an average 85, but 63 per cent. A number of correspondents report a disposition to curtail the acreage of wheat, owing to the presence of the 'chinch bug' this season and apprehension of its continuance next year.

LEON MOORE,

Commissioner of Agriculture

## OBITUARY.

Died, on the morning of August 5th, Archie, the infant son of Joseph A. and Susan B. McCord; aged ten months and five days.

He had been sick about two weeks with brain fever and several other almost fatal diseases. All the skill of those who surrounded his bedside was administered but to no effect. On the morning of Aug. 5, just before the break of dawn, after a night of intense suffering the sweet, young bud of life closed its petals to unfold again in Paradise.

"It's only a little grave we've laid,  
And so they earnestly turned away  
From the mound the spirit had made that  
All they did not know how deep a shade lay.  
That little grave on a home had made."  
"Tis a little grave, but oh, beware,  
For the world without us is hearted there,  
And ye perhaps, in coming years,  
May see, like them, through blinding tears  
How much of light, how much of joy  
Is buried with an only boy."

A. L. T.

## Cockran's Insult to Farmers.

"Will you submit to this conspiracy between the professional farmers, the farmers who cultivate the quarrels of their neighbors, farmers who labor with their jaws, Populist agitators of the West and unreconciled slave holders of the South? This is a conspiracy between professional farmers who want to pay low wages, and the unreconciled slave holders who would like to pay no wages at all." (Extract from the speech of Bourke Cockran, delivered in New York, Aug. 18th)

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles.  
Symptoms: Moisture; intense itching and stinging; must be at night; worse by sitting; itching; smarting; burning; which if allowed to continue, becoming very painful. WATKINS' Ointment stops the itching and restores the natural circulation, and it most cures the tumors. At druggists, or by mail for 25 cents. Dr. S. Wayne & Son, Philadelphia.

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Senatorial Scene Here

a sermon by Mr.

New York, Sept.

most a riot in the

den of Music the

Rev. Thomas Dixon

ing a sermon on "The

Many persons in the

ing offense at the

denunciation of Bryan

porters, rose and left

he was passed between

and his hearers, and

came so threatening

it was feared it would

call for the police.

Mr. Dixon declared

McKinley in the

I believe with \$500.

confronts us it is the

patriotic citizens to vote

Republican ticket. I voted in Cleveland

and now, before God, acknowledge

my sin."

Then Mr. Bryan and his party were

discussed by Mr. Dixon in a way

that created the utmost excitement.

He said: "The proposition of Mr.

Bryan and his followers to pay the

bonds of the United States, upon

which one hundred cents on the dol-

lar was raised, in coin worth only fifty

cents, is downright rascality."

THE PREACHER HISSED.

Several persons shouted "That's

false." "You are wrong." "Shut up!"

and many of those present hissed.

For a moment Mr. Dixon hesitated

and seemed stunned, but soon recovered

himself and exclaimed: "If the

Government does that it goes into the

busco-steering business."

He was again interrupted by loud

and prolonged hissing and shouts of

"That's not right!" "You don't know

what you are talking about!" One

gray-haired man arose and said: "I

won't stand this any longer," and

rushed from the building. He was

followed by 50 others, who cried

"Shame!" as they left the room.

The sensational preacher became

nervous and turned very pale, but

was reassured by the applause of

those who sympathized with him.

LEFT THE CHURCH.

"What Bryan and his followers

propose," resumed Mr. Dixon, "is to

permit me to pay \$1,000 that I have

incurred with \$500." Again the hissing

began and some one shouted

"Liar!" Men and women from all

parts of the hall arose and left the

room, many of whom hissed as they

went out.

Mr. Dixon resumed talking again

by saying that Mr. Bryan and his fol-

lowers propose to let the insurance

companies pay widows and or-

phans in a depreciated currency.

Here a man shouted "I am going to

vote for Bryan," and several persons

exclaimed, "Good! That's right!"

Dixon continued for some time in

an inflammatory and indecent man-

ner, rehearsing the stock arguments of

gold bugs who do not know anything

of the trend of the money question.

The vulgar display lost votes for

McKinley.

## Administrator's Sale.

As administrator of L. D. Watson, deceased, I will sell at public auction, at the highest bidder, under the premises where the said L. D. Watson lived at the time of his death, 3 miles northwest of Casky, Ky., Thursday, Friday, Sept. 24 and 25, 1896, the following described property: All of the household and kitchen furniture, all stock, teams, tools, implements, crops, &c., necessary for running three farms, consisting of wagons, plows, wheat drills, binders, mowers, harrows, saw and maul, one 4 ply gandy belt 8 inches wide, some fence posts and about 300 feet of lumber, 3,500 28 inch boards, 1 fruit and two barrel sprayers, one lawn mower, a lot of barn, 240 pounds of fertilizer, several hundred wheat sacks, Heilmann separator and 15 horse power traction engine, nearly new; 2 shares of stock in H. N. D. Pumpkin Road Co., also one in Casky Grange Hall. A lot of thrashed oats, about 100 bushels of seed wheat, about 50 bushels of clover seed, about 75 barrels old corn, about 200 barrels new corn, about 75 tons baled hay, part of which is on the Garrett farm the balance on the Campbell farm, and intending purchasers can examine it before day of sale. It will be sold at the home place by a few simple sales. Milch cows and feeding pigs, fat hog, feeding hogs, sows and pigs, harness horses, work mules, colts and other things too numerous to mention.

Terms: For fat hogs, seed wheat, bacon, 2 shares turnip stock, heavy steers and all sums of \$5.00 and under, cash. All sums over \$5.00 on a credit of 12 months, without interest if paid at maturity, if not 6 per cent per date.

T. L. GRAHAM, Adm'r.

Casky, Ky., Sept. 3, 1896.

## REPUBLICANS FOR BRYAN.

A Son of Judge Morrow.

Somerset, Ky., Sept. 8.—Hon. W. A. Morrow, of Somerset, son of Judge T. Z. Morrow, the Republican nominee for Governor in 1883, and himself a leading Republican politician and speaker, has come out for Bryan and Sewall. Some weeks ago Judge A. A. Lewis, also a prominent Republican leader, declared himself a convert to silver and will vote for Bryan. It is said that Judge Morrow himself is on the fence and may follow his son's example.

## Plumbing

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Whenever you apply for connection with the water works call and get our figures on the work and we will not only

## SAVE YOU MONEY...

but a great deal of subsequent annoyance resulting from inferior material and workmanship. We propose to

## Explode the Old Theory

that there is no honor among plumbers. There has been a nice pavement laid from Main Street to our plumbing department on Virginia Street.

## FORBES &amp; BRO

10th and Main Sts.

The child whose life was saved by the country is deaf. It is a good thing in the country to simply live. To-day we are sitting around a bright fire in the cozy living room, for it is just a little chilly out of doors. Each one is busy with his own thoughts. A delicious odor comes from the direction of the kitchen and I feel sure Aunt Fannie is putting forth her best efforts to place before us the tempting dishes, that are so easily and bountifully supplied in the country. Yesterday we took a long tramp through the meadow down to the woods, in search of ripe grass and scarlet berries, for winter bouquets. On our way home we stopped at an old, old graveyard. The inscription on the tombstone of one grave told us John A. Clark died in 1894, and Mary Clark, his wife, a few years later. There were some half dozen graves, all very old. The stones were moss-grown and broken. A goodly number of cedar trees surrounded the graveyard, like sentinels keeping a lonely watch over the dead, so long ago laid there.

The farmers are busy following for the next crop of wheat and a large crop too, notwithstanding the cry of "hard times" for prices and over production. I find a fascination in watching the team go round and round, the bright plowshare turning over the brown earth, a busy scene following in the furrow, who's loud "wo" that now" reaches me as I write "To-morrow we go home, that the children may be ready for school Monday. We will be sorry to leave those who have so kindly aided in making our visit so pleasant. Yes, we will go home better prepared for the work that awaits us and long for another summer to come, that we may again enjoy the rest and pleasure of a visit here. M. Y. H.

On Tuesday, Sept. 1, at the home of her son, T. P. Ford, near Pee Dee Ky., the spirit of Mrs. Nancy A. Ford quitted this life and lifting the veil of futurity, entered upon the life immortal.

Mrs. Ford was the widow of John J. Ford, who was born in Rutherford county, Tenn., in 1822, moved to Kentucky when she was quite young and was married in 1848.

To those who knew her no words of eulogy are necessary or can add anything to the crown of christian virtues which made her life a mirror for their reflection. She occupied an exalted position in this life, but if there be precedence in Heaven no higher seat than hers will be there. She knew no ill of anyone or if she did she never told it. Gossip may have assailed her ears but her tongue never repeated it.

Farrell street sister, no purer spirit than those ever winged its flight to Heaven, where, sometime in the "sweet by and bye, we hope again to meet thee. S. F. E.

75-STATE FAIR AT EVANSVILLE. Account of above fair, the O. V. Ry. will sell tickets to Evansville and return, at one fare, for train No. 2, Sept. 14th, to 18th, inclusive.

On Sept. 17th, will sell tickets to Evansville and return, including admission ticket to fair grounds, at rate of \$1.50 for gentlemen, and \$1.25 for ladies. All tickets limited to return on date of sale.

E. M. SHERWOOD, Agt.

The L. & N. will sell round-trip tickets to Henderson at \$1.50, account Bryan's speech Sept. 14; train leaves Hopkinsville at 9:55 a. m., arrives at Henderson 12:30 p. m. A special train will leave Henderson, returning immediately after the speaking. Bryan can return on special or on any regular train the following day.

J. M. ADAMS, Agent. Hon. Chas. K. Wheeler, the Democratic nominee for congress, has been highly honored by an invitation from the committee in charge to go to St. Louis and be one of the speakers at the Bryan ratification in that city. The invitation states that he has been selected as the speaker immediately preceding Mr. Bryan—Paducah Register.

After an absence of eighteen months Louis Filcher is again at the editorial desk of the Nicholasville Democrat, and the firm is again Filcher Bros. There will be no change in the political policy of the Democrat, which will continue to be aggressively Democratic for Bryan and Sewall and the Chicago platform.

About two weeks ago a child was born to Bettie Osborn, who lives in Tennessee, who has neither hands nor feet. The mother of the child lives with her father high upon one of the Cumberland peaks. The unity of the child is very ignorant and grateful, as is her father.

Ward's band will accompany the Bryan and Sewall club to Henderson, over the O. M. Moudry.

The week's failures includes a national bank at New Orleans.

**Check it!**

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If he had bought a 5 cent piece he would have been able to take it with him. There is no use buying more than a 5 cent piece of "Battle Ax." A 10 cent piece is most too big to carry, and the 5 cent piece is nearly as large as the 10 cent piece of other high grade tobaccos.

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The Daily Financial News and the Financial Record are two well-known street papers devoted to financial matters. Recently they were in a position where they would be forced to take a stand against the single gold standard, and they have done so. They are squarely facing the situation, and are a few brief extracts from a very instructive letter:

"Both the Daily Financial News and the Financial Record are Wall street papers. They have no politics and take no side, except in so far as politics directly affect finances, and particularly the value and safety of securities based upon debts of the country, public and private, incurred in developing our energies of production and exchange of commodities.

"For seven years past both of our papers have steadily advocated the full redemption of silver by restoring it to free and unlimited coinage at the existing ratio with gold. Such a policy has seemed to us so clearly and absolutely essential to a restoration of general prosperity, to return to surplus earnings for production upon which the safety of all securities depends, that we have held our course, though standing alone in this city and encountering opposition often unpleasant and always injurious to our bank account.

"Wall street deals in debt. The philosophy of the debt is very simple. When the debtor is making money and can pay interest and redeem principal at maturity, investment in the labor of other men is easy and unremunerative. But when a man or an institution does not know how to earn a surplus over actual and necessary living expenses, the value of the debt vanishes. The man lives, somehow."

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"A policy to increase the value of our products, not the volume of our debts."

"This involves more money. As we are writing to bankers we must cite bankers' opinions to sustain our position. We therefore, refer you to the conclusions reached by the Baltimore bank and other banks to the needs of more money to meet the needs of an energetic people."

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Father Knickerbocker—Bless me, how that child is growing!—Denver Post.

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